

LABORERS CHEER  
ROOSEVELT LETTERPresident's Demand for Ex-  
act Justice Indorsed.

## SOCIALISTS IN DEFEAT

New York Unions Told of "Un-  
desirable Citizen" Episode.Committee Tells Meeting That Chief  
Executive Gave It a "Square Deal" in  
Interview on Haywood, Moyer, and  
Petitioners—Instructions to At-  
torney General for Absolute Jus-  
tice in Trial of Miners Applauded.New York, May 5.—The radical socialist  
delegates to the Central Federated Union  
were again routed to-day in an attempt to  
get that body on record as attacking the  
President, when the report of the com-  
mittee of three which went to see Presi-  
dent Roosevelt last week regarding his  
"undesirable citizens" statement in refer-  
ence to Moyer and Haywood was read.The meeting was well attended and the  
"visitors gallery," as the seats at the  
back of the hall are called, was filled.  
The spectators were partly disappointed,  
for the debate, though brisk, did not last  
long.The committee which saw President  
Roosevelt consisted of John S. Henry,  
president, and Delegates Coakley and  
Brown, the latter being a socialist, but  
not of the extreme type. In making his  
report Henry said that the committee saw  
the President at 11 o'clock last Thursday.President Talks Freely.  
"We were kept waiting just three min-  
utes in an ante-room before we saw the  
President," he said, "and were with him  
for an hour and a half. We argued every  
point, and both sides talked freely. The  
discussion covered about every point that  
was brought up in relation to the Presi-  
dent's characterization of Moyer and  
Haywood. In response to what we  
brought up the President wrote a letter to  
me as president of the Central Federated  
Union, which the secretary will read.He wrote all the letter himself, with the  
exception of a few lines at the end, in our  
presence, and the last few lines were dic-  
tated to the typewriter. He was very  
frank all the way through, and listened  
to what we had to say with great inter-  
est."Roosevelt Orders Exact Justice.  
Applause followed the report, and the  
letter from President Roosevelt, which is  
as follows, was read:"My Dear Mr. Henry:  
"When you, in company with Messrs.  
Coakley and Brown, called upon me this  
morning, I read you the letter I had  
written to the Attorney General on  
March 25, 1906. At your request I  
gladly send you the following extract  
from that letter:"Your duty is, if it should ever hap-  
pen that we have any power in the  
matter, to see that exact justice is  
done these men. There must be no  
condemnation of lawlessness on our  
part, even if the lawlessness takes the  
form of an effort to avenge the wrongs  
committed by the lawlessness of  
others. The sole question as regards  
Haywood and Moyer must be the ques-  
tion whether or not they can be shown  
to be guilty of this particular act, and  
their legal rights must be as carefully  
safeguarded as those of any other  
man. It is alleged that they were ex-  
tradited from Colorado in a manner  
that amounted to a betrayal of their  
legal rights.

Calls for Information.

"I should like to have the district  
attorney of Colorado, and, if neces-  
sary, the district attorney of Idaho,  
give me such information as they can  
on this point. I should like to get  
from the district attorney of Idaho any  
information that he can obtain as to  
whether or not there has been the  
slightest disposition shown by the au-  
thorities of Idaho to act toward these  
men in an unfair or improper manner,  
or to deny them their legal rights; or  
on the other hand, I should like to know  
whether there is any system of mis-  
carriage of justice in their favor,  
without any knowledge of the facts,  
upon treating these men as  
martyrs to the cause of labor, has un-  
questionably resulted in tremendous  
pressure being brought to bear upon  
the authorities of Idaho to discharge  
or acquit them whether guilty or in-  
nocent."

"Reasonable Language from Debs."

"So far as the unions are anxious  
only to see that exact justice is done  
these men, that they are given their  
full legal rights and not condemned  
until proved guilty of this specific  
act, they are entitled to the cordial  
co-operation of all just and fair-  
minded citizens. So far as by any ac-  
tion, or by murderous and treasonable  
language, such as that quoted above  
from Debs (and others), they tend to  
bring pressure to bear upon the State  
authorities and the courts to obstruct  
the course of justice and to render it  
difficult to convict the men, if guilty,  
they are equally without stint to be  
condemned, so anything that the Fed-  
eral authorities can do in either event,  
to further the cause of justice, is to be  
done.""In response to your question, it is,  
I trust, needless for me to say that if  
at any time you or any one else can  
submit to me any evidence showing  
that there has been a miscarriage of  
justice for or against Messrs. Moyer  
or Haywood, which you believe it is  
in my power to remedy, I will at once  
bring such evidence to the attention  
of the Attorney General, to have him  
give it the fullest consideration, and  
to take thereon such action, if any, as  
it may be in the power of the Federal  
authorities to take."

"Sincerely yours,

"THEODORE ROOSEVELT."

Letter Brings Applause.

More applause followed the reading of  
the letter. Then Albert Abrams, a social-  
ist, and member of the Moyer-Haywood  
conference, got up and protested against  
the acceptance of this letter and report.  
Roosevelt, he said, stood pilloried as a  
man who has failed to prove that these  
men were undesirable citizens.Delegate Coakley, of the committee,  
took the floor to defend President Roose-

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## WEATHER FORECAST.

For the District of Columbia,  
Maryland, and Virginia—Increasing  
cloudiness and warmer to-  
day; rain by night; to-morrow,  
rain; light southeast to south  
winds.

## HERALD NEWS SUMMARY.

## TELEGRAPHIC.

- 1—Pathetic Scenes at Marvin Child.
- 2—President's Demand for Exact Justice Indorsed.
- 3—Atlantic City Spends Dry Sunday.
- 4—Guatemala Faces Crisis.
- 5—Bishop Denounces Elopement.
- 6—Kuroki to Be Lined at Jamestown.
- 7—Visiting Sailors Resent Treatment.
- 8—Moyer-Haywood Trial Thursday.
- 9—News of Maryland and Virginia.
- 10—San Francisco Street Cars Tied Up.

## LOCAL.

- 1—President Names Housing Committee.
- 2—Woman Crushed to Death.
- 3—More Evidence Against Harriman.
- 4—Panama Pay Problem Settled.
- 5—Venezuela Singsers Reach Here To-day.
- 6—C. F. Weller Outlines Charity Work.
- 10—Queen of May Honored by Church.

## COUP D'ETAT IN MOROCCO.

Sultan's Brother, a Viceroy, Pro-  
claims Himself a Ruler.  
London, May 5.—The Tangle of  
London of the Times says that letters  
announcing a coup d'etat at Marrakech.  
Moula Hafed, the Sultan's brother, who  
was viceroy of Southern Morocco, having  
been proclaimed Sultan, and has been ac-  
cepted by the townspeople and the sur-  
rounding tribes.

## PRISONER KILLS HIMSELF.

Albert S. Smith, Arrested for Murder  
of Aunt, Takes Poison.Boston, May 5.—Albert S. Smith, a trol-  
ley car conductor, committed suicide by  
swallowing poison when placed under ar-  
rest on a murder charge, at West Med-  
ford, about 2 o'clock this morning. Smith  
was wanted for the murder of his aunt,  
Mrs. Caroline Smith, who was found dead  
in the lodging house at 61 Hancock street,  
this city, about noon yesterday.He was about twenty-eight years old  
and had been infatuated with his aunt,  
the wife of George W. Smith, of South-  
ville, for five years. This caused her hus-  
band to leave her. Smith was arrested at  
the home of A. L. Littlefield. When told  
he was wanted on the charge of murder  
he swallowed some corrosive sublimate  
tablets and quickly fainted. He died in  
a physician's office a few minutes later.

## MURDERED MAN'S BODY FOUND

John Overt Stabbed Thirty-four  
Times; Rope Around Neck.Philadelphia, May 5.—With thirty-four  
stab wounds on the body and a heavy  
rope tightly about his neck, the body of  
John Overt, thirty-five years old, was  
found floating in the Schuylkill River  
this morning. The discovery stirred the  
police to unusual efforts. Arrests in the  
case will occur to-morrow morning.The murder was committed about two  
weeks ago. It is the theory of the police  
that robbery or a quarrel was the cause  
of the crime.

## MORE BRIBERY IS FOUND

Ruef and Schmitz Collect for Trol-  
ley Franchise.San Francisco Grand Jury Obtains  
Complete Story by Which Rail-  
roads Obtained Privileges.San Francisco, May 5.—The grand jury  
has secured a complete story of bribery  
by which the United Railroads secured  
the trolley franchise. This statement is  
based on information given by As-  
sistant District Attorney Henry.  
Patrick Calhoun, president of United  
Railroads, Thos. M. Mullally, personal  
representative, San Francisco, and T. L.  
Ford, chief of the legal staff of the trol-  
ley trust, are the corporation officials al-  
leged to be involved by evidence. It is  
said indictments will be found within a  
week.Through Detective Burns and his men,  
the grand jury has learned that directly  
after the fire \$25,000 in gold was placed  
to the credit of Patrick Calhoun in the  
United States Mint in this city.The first payment out of this immense  
bribe fund, according to the evidence,  
was \$25,000. It went to Abraham Ruef  
on April 28, 1906. The second payment  
was made the next week. It was for  
\$50,000. The \$25,000 remaining was drawn  
in June.The major part of the \$25,000, it is  
claimed, was used to purchase stocks and  
bonds of the United Railroads. These se-  
curities were turned over to Ruef and  
Schmitz, at Calhoun's own residence, 2225  
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## HOTEL MAN KILLS HIMSELF.

F. W. Wertheimer, of Norfolk, Va.,  
Ends Life in New York.New York, May 5.—F. W. Wert-  
heimer, proprietor of the Fairfax Hotel,  
Norfolk, Va., was found dead in his  
room at the Hotel York, Thirty-sixth  
street and Seventh avenue, to-night,  
with a bullet wound on the right side  
of his head. His body was found on  
the bed in the room.The revolver with which the shooting  
was done was in his right hand. Just  
when Wertheimer killed himself the  
hotel people do not know. They knew  
very little about the man.

## Bad Health Was the Motive.

Special to The Washington Herald.  
Norfolk, Va., May 5.—Frederick W.  
Wertheimer was manager of the Hotel  
Fairfax of this city, and also vice presi-  
dent of the Hotel Fairfax Corporation.The Fairfax, a modern hotel, prominently  
located on City Hall avenue, was opened  
for the first time on April 23.The only motive assigned here for the  
suicide is bad health, he having had a  
severe attack of grip for several  
weeks. He was married last February,  
and was thirty-five years of age. Mr.  
and Mrs. Hirsch Wertheimer, parents of  
the dead-man, also live here.

## A la Carte Lunch Served Daily

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## PARALLEL LINES MEET AT INFINITY.



## CRISIS IN GUATEMALA

Faces Either War with Mex-  
ico or Revolution.

## TOLEDO TO LEAD REBELLION

President Diaz's Regiments Camp-  
ing on Northern Border, Awaiting  
Order to Descend on Cabrera, and  
Malcontents Organizing on South-  
ern Frontier—Affairs in Honduras.Mexico City, May 5.—It is reported  
that Gen. Salvador Toledo has been  
selected by the members of the Guate-  
malan revolutionary party in this city to  
head the provisional government that has  
been organized to assume government  
control of that country when the Cabrera  
administration is deposed.Gen. Toledo is now at Masaya, Nicara-  
gua. He is organizing the Guatemalan  
malcontents on that side of the Guate-  
malan border, and will, it is said, soon be  
ready for an invasion from that quarter  
at the head of an army of considerable  
size. The leaders of the revolutionary  
movement profess to believe that Cabrera  
will give over the reins of government  
without a struggle when he realizes the  
powerful influences that are against him.It is said that the American interests in  
Guatemala are anxious that Mexico  
should make an aggressive move upon  
Guatemala without delay. Such action, it  
is claimed, particularly when backed by  
the United States government, as it would  
seem to be, would insure the stability of  
future Guatemalan administrations, irre-  
spective of whether that country became  
a part of Mexico or not.Advices were received here to-day from  
the Isthmus of Tehuantepec that enough  
vessels are now at Salina Cruz and Coat-  
acoac to transport a large body of  
troops to Guatemala on short notice. The  
Panama Railroad is also completed from  
a point on the Isthmus within a short dis-  
tance of the Guatemalan line, and a large  
force of Mexican troops could be landed  
across the border of that country inside  
of thirty-six hours after the order to ad-  
vance is given.

## Niaguans in Irons.

Mobile, May 5.—Capt. J. Danielson,  
of the steamer Espana, four days out from  
Puerto Cortez, Honduras, reports that  
on leaving the place both the Marietta  
and Paducah were lying off the town.He reported that Commander Fullam  
refused to release from prison the po-  
lice of Puerto Cortez who are  
charged with the brutal assault upon  
Gen. Davis, the fruit inspector for the  
Thacker Company. The policemen are  
in iron bands at the Marietta and Paducah.The request for the release of the  
men was made by Commandante Bonilla  
on advice from Provisional President  
Daviila.Capt. Danielson says that he was told  
that the fruit inspector was badly hurt  
and could not live. A thorough investiga-  
tion of the assault will be made by the  
American officers.Gen. Estrada has been placed in com-  
mand of Puerto Cortez. No news of any  
trouble at the capital was brought here  
by the Espana.The Nicaraguan officers at Puerto Cortez  
are reported in a bitter frame of  
mind over the arrest of the policemen by  
the American naval officers.

Capt. Poe in Honduras Army.

San Francisco, May 5.—John P. Poe, Jr.,  
a member of the famous football family,  
and the star half back of the Princeton  
football team of 1891-92, reached here yester-  
day on the Pacific Mail Company's steamer  
City of Panama, after a month's service  
in the Honduran army in the late  
war with Nicaragua.Poe was a captain in the Honduran  
army, and commanded the little fort  
guarding the Amapala harbor. When the  
little Nicaraguan gunboat Momotombo  
came steaming into the harbor he thought  
that his wish would be fulfilled.The gunboat carried a five-inch Krupp  
gun, but the few shots that were fired  
from it went sailing over town.Poe trained his guns on the miniature  
war ships, but they were of such small  
caliber that the shells fell short of the  
mark. The resistance offered by the  
Hondurans was unexpected by those on  
the Momotombo, and she withdrew out  
of line of firing.All Accounts Draw Interest  
In bank dept. of United Trust Co., 144  
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## PEASANTRY IS DETERIORATING

Remarkable Facts Revealed by En-  
rollment of Germans Recruits.Berlin, May 5.—Some curious statistics  
were gleaned in Southern Baden during  
the recent enrollment of recruits. In the  
Lindau and Altkirch districts, out of 464  
young men liable to service only 20 were  
found to be up to the physical standard  
of the military authorities. Two hundred  
and seventeen were placed on the doubt-  
ful list, and the unusual number of 267  
were put aside as wholly unfit for active  
service.It seems that the peasantry of these  
districts were once among the most robust  
in the empire, but owing, in the first  
place, to the high price of meat and the  
fact that milk, which once was a staple  
article of food, is now carefully collected  
for the cheese factories, their physique  
has sunk to a dangerously low level.Their principal food for years has been  
potatoes and skimmed milk.

## HOLDS UP TRAIN TO KILL MAN

Victim of Card Sharp Uses Rifle to  
Secure Return of Money.Henry Manigault, of Savannah,  
Shoots Engineer Then Slays James  
Lewis and Rifles His Pockets.Savannah, Ga., May 5.—In order to kill  
James Lewis, who had robbed him of \$50  
in a card game, Henry Manigault held up  
a Central Railroad passenger train as it  
was leaving the depot and fired a bullet  
into Lewis.Lewis and Manigault engaged in a game  
of cards in a room over the union depot.  
Lewis soon won \$50, all the money that  
Manigault had. Manigault accused Lewis  
of cheating and started to strike him,  
but the latter ran.Manigault subsequently got a rifle and  
hunted for Lewis. He learned that Lewis  
had taken refuge on a train, and took a  
position on the side of the railroad track  
about 300 yards from the station.As the train came along Manigault cov-  
ered the engineer and ordered him to  
stop. The engineer paid no attention to  
the order, and Manigault shot the engi-  
neer.The train was then stopped. Meanwhile  
Lewis leaped from the train and ran.  
Manigault fired three bullets at the fleeing  
man, each of which took effect.Manigault then rushed to the dying man  
and rifled his pockets, securing the \$50  
he had lost in the card game. He then  
held the crowd at bay with his rifle  
and made his escape.

## CANDY KING'S HOUSE LOOTED.

Pittsburg Society Shocked Over Rob-  
bery at Wedding Reception.Pittsburg, Pa., May 5.—The innermost  
circles of Pittsburg society are very  
much puzzled over a mysterious and sen-  
sational robbery which took place nearly  
a month ago, but which has been care-  
fully kept from the public until to-day.  
The crime was the looting of the home  
of Benjamin Dangerfield, of 472 Bayard  
street, during the reception which fol-  
lowed the marriage of his daughter,  
April 4. Dangerfield, who is immensely  
wealthy, is known as the "Candy King"  
of Pittsburg, being at the head of the  
Reymor Company.During the reception some one looted  
the place. Many valuable presents were  
taken away and about \$100 in cash.The Washington Herald is on sale at the  
following named hotels at the Jamestown  
Exposition:  
Pine Beach Hotel, States Hotel,  
Imperial Inn, Ansloe Hotel.  
Also at the news booths throughout the  
Exposition grounds.At Norfolk the paper may be had at the  
Municipal, Algonquin,  
Atlantic, Norfolk,  
Palais, and  
Also at all Norfolk news stands.All Accounts Draw Interest  
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## FIFTY HURT IN OHIO WRECK.

Electric Cars Telescoped and Three  
of the Victims Will Die.Bowling Green, Ohio, May 5.—A limited  
and a local car on the Toledo, Urbana  
and Interurban Electric Railway collided  
a mile south of this city to-night and  
about fifty persons were injured, several  
fatally. Three will die.The limited car, southbound, was half  
an hour late, and was running at top  
speed when it hit the local. They came  
together with such force that they tele-  
scoped each other half their length. The  
scenes followed the collision were of wild  
panic. Both cars were well filled with  
passengers, and the shouts of the men  
and women could be heard for a great  
distance.A fire started in one end of one of the  
cars, and for a time it was feared that  
the injured would be burned before they  
could be removed, but the blaze was ex-  
tinguished with water carried from near-  
by farm houses. The injured were  
brought to this city, where the hotels were  
transformed into hospitals.

## ICEBOUND SHIPS MISSING.

No Report Regarding the Ontario  
and Virginian Received.Halifax, Nova Scotia, May 5.—No word  
has yet been received regarding the steam-  
ship Ontario, which was blocked in the  
ice in the Gulf of St. Lawrence on Fri-  
day, and the tugboat Virginian, which  
was due two days ago at Quebec, has not  
yet been heard from.She has the Canadian mails for Mon-  
treal, and the fact that the steamship  
is overdue is causing many inquiries,  
though so far no real anxiety, for it is  
known that all steamships bound up the  
St. Lawrence are having a hard time with  
field ice.The Montreal of the Canadian Pacific  
Railroad Line, was off Cape Race for  
two days waiting an opening through the  
ice, but gave up and proceeded to Louis-  
bourg, Nova Scotia. She will likely make  
another attempt.

## POPE GETS 'FRENZIED FINANCE'

Thomas W. Lawson, of Boston, Sees  
Plus X.Rome, May 5.—Thomas W. Lawson, of  
Boston, is here incognito, ostensibly to  
sit for his portrait to the artist Man-  
cini. He lately had audiences with the  
Pope and Cardinal Merry del Val, to  
whom a copy of "Frenzied Finance" was  
presented, bearing a special dedica-  
tion to the Pope.His holiness, who was addressed as  
"The Great Priest" in the dedication,  
was asked to give "among the saints"  
a place on his shelves, among the words  
of his storehouse of wisdom, a  
resting place for this offspring of tur-  
moil and passion.

## GEN. J. W. DE PEYSTER DEAD.

Was a Veteran of the Civil War and  
a Prominent Author.New York, May 5.—Gen. John Watts  
De Peyster died at his home, 58 East  
Twenty-first street, late Saturday night.Gen. De Peyster was a veteran of the  
civil war and prominent in municipal  
affairs of the city of New York for many  
years. He was the author of more than  
thirty volumes, most of them treating on  
military subjects.

## STEAD TALKS ON EVERYTHING

Peace Advocate Takes Topics at  
Random in New York.Makes Good Use of Last Opportunity  
to Address Americans Before  
Returning Home.New York, May 5.—William T. Stead  
delivered a long address on one thing  
or another at the Majestic Theater this  
afternoon. Mr. Stead finished his general  
platform remarks at 4:45 o'clock, to be  
exact, but as he announced that he would  
not have another chance on his trip  
to address the American public he con-  
tinued informally for a long time after  
this to various groups of men and women  
that had clambered on the stage to shake  
his hand at the extreme end of his set  
speech.A man met coming out in a crowd to-  
ward sunset said that Mr. Stead was still  
on the platform and going strong. For  
the first half hour or so Mr. Stead gave  
a general outline of his opinion of the  
burning of the Capitol by the British,  
the influence of Tammany Hall on our  
government, what he thought of American  
pronunciation and other characteristics,  
the passing of the old American an-  
nals, the new tunnels under the Hudson  
River, the influence of the "American  
idea" on other nations, his book on "The  
Americanization of the World," the pa-  
rochial character of the recent peace con-  
ference, a succinct review of the crusades  
of the Middle Ages, and several other  
subjects.The speaker's new scheme of around the  
world pilgrimage is that two leading citi-  
zens of each country be selected, assem-  
bled, say in Boston, and begin to make  
speeches for peace.

## DIGS GRAVE, THEN ENDS LIFE.

Servant Girl, Disappointed in Love,  
Shoots Herself in Head.Philadelphia, Pa., May 5.—Brooding over  
a disappointment at her love affairs Elva  
A. Ellison, a servant in the employ of  
Stirling Johnson, of 501 Allen Lane, Chest-  
nut Hill, committed suicide early this  
morning, after having first dug a grave in  
the cellar of the house. Miss Ellison was  
twenty-five years of age. She was brought  
from New York by the Johnsons about  
four months ago.